

Proposal for the Renewal of the SED Waiver

- The DLA-20 will replace the Child Behavior Checklist (CBCL) as the functional assessment utilized by a clinician at the time of accessing eligibility. The DLA-20 will also be utilized as the assessment for determining the ongoing clinical eligibility of a youth to remain on the waiver.
- Every youth on the waiver must be assessed every 180 days utilizing the DLA-20 to determine if they are clinically eligible to remain on the waiver. If a youth does not receive a qualifying score on the DLA-20 they will then be assessed utilizing the Child and Adolescent Functional Assessment Scale (CAFAS). If a youth does not receive a qualifying score on the CAFAS the Wraparound Facilitator will develop a 180 day plan to transition the youth off of the waiver. During this transition phase a youth will continue to be assessed every 90 days, at the final day of transition and any other time that the clinician believes is necessary. At any time during the transition phase if a youth is determined to be clinically eligible to remain on the waiver the CMHC will discontinue the process for transitioning the youth off of the waiver.
- Add language to the POC that documents a youth transition off of the waiver.
- Add language to the service definitions for Parent Support (PS) and Attendant Care. For Parent Support the revisions consist of adding language in the definition section that identifies PS being utilized with ongoing implementation and reinforcement of skills learned. Revisions were made to the provider qualifications stating that PS training must be completed within 6 months of hire as a Parent Support Worker. Ongoing and regular clinical supervision would be required by a LMHP contractor. Revisions were included in the component section, which include:
 - Coaching and training provided to family members to increase their ability to provide a safe and supportive environment
 - Family members be taught copying strategies to decrease caregiver strain and improve relationships with family, peers and community members
 - Services must be intended to achieve goals and objectives listed in the youth's plan of care

For Attendant Care the revisions consist of adding language in the component sections that replaces "treatment team" with "wraparound team" and that services must be intended to achieve the goals and objectives listed in the youth's plan of care. Additional service criteria were also added:

- Services provided to youth must include communication and coordination with the family or legal guardian and all coordination must be documented in the youth's medical record
- Ongoing and regular clinical supervision would be provided by a contractor LMHP
- Add language that identifies that a newly developed Wraparound and Parent Support training will be the required statewide trainings for the SED waiver.
- Add a screening tool that will assess children with Autism Spectrum Disorder to determine if they eligible for the SED waiver.